

SP 19.1 Socioeconomic Programs - General

Substantive changes made for the 3-22-06 version:

1. Converts this into an LBNL-only SP (it was a Tri-Lab SP).
2. Deletes the HUBZone exceptions under SCOPE because the HUBZone non-competitive awards are now covered in SP 19.3.
3. Adds definitions for 8(a) Program, HUBZone, HUBZone Small Business, Service-Disabled Veteran, Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business, Small Business, Small Disadvantaged Business, Socioeconomic Business Concern, Veteran-Owned Small Business, and Women-Owned Small Business, all of which used to be in SP 2.1, but are more appropriately located in this SP
4. Provides the correct name for LBNL's Small Business and Supplier Management Office.
5. Adds a "General" section under PROCEDURES.
6. Adds a paragraph clarifying size standards when using wholesale and retail NAICS codes.
7. Adds a requirement for the procurement specialist to verify the socioeconomic business status of HZSB, SDB, and 8(a) concerns prior to award.
8. Clarifies that only *timely* protests will be considered.
9. Adds a bullet under the procurement specialist's RESPONSIBILITIES about obtaining representations and certifications regarding socioeconomic business status prior to award.
10. Updates prime contract REFERENCES to be in accordance with contract 31.
11. Adds a REFERENCE for the prime contract clause regarding commercial items.
12. Adds a REFERENCE for Appendix H of the prime contract which is the model subcontracting plan.